Statement

Details forsaleofrawjuteex-1985-86and 1986-87 crop offered to jute mills by Jute Corporation of India (JCI) are as under :—

(i) Sales would be restricted only to those working jute mills wich have physical stock, equivalort to 8 weeks consumption requirement oi less with them as on 30-9-87 and tht quantity to be sold would not exceed two weeks' consumption quirement ot eacb.

(ii) Variety and grade-mix would be as under :—

I. Varietal Mix	(Percent)
White	30
Tossa.	64
Mesta	6
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II. Grade Mix

Grade	White %	Tossa %	Mesta %
5/Bot	22	47	27
6/B. Boat	42	36	52
7/X.Bot	36	17	21
	100	100	100

fiSil Sites would be mad at ruling market prices plus Re 1/-subjectc fo statutory minimum (iii) for 1987-88 , with a premia of Rs. 10./- per quintal for TD5 *n i* Rs. 5/- per quintal for IDC. (iv) Delivery would be made within 2 months ficm the date of meking guaranteed parment arrangement.

(v) Otherterms as per standard contract of JCI.

(vi) The Corporation would reserve the right to release stock of law jute in its possosesing keeping in view the interest of the growers who are still holding a sizable part of tte production.

LJ.O. Scheme tor landless agricultural labourers

381.SHRIGURUDASDASGUPTA:

SHRI SURAJ PRASAD: Will the Minister of FINANCB be pleased to state:

(a) whether the insurance scheme for the landless agricultural labourers has since been introduced by the Lifa Insurance Corporation; and

(b) if so, which are the States where the said scheme is in operation at present?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): (a), and (b) Yes, Sir. A Group Insurance Scheme for landless agricultural labourers has been introduced on national scale by the Life Insurance Corporation of India with effect frorn 15th August, 1987. The Scheme applies t_0 landless agricultural labourers all over the country and Is being implemented in collaboration with respective State Government/Union Territories.